

Notice of Proposed Sole Source Procurement

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The Utah Procurement Code provides that a procurement may be made without competition when there is only one source for the required supply or service. Therefore, a "sole source" procurement is justified if there is only one product or service that can reasonably meet the state's need and there is only one vendor who can provide the product or service.

The Division of Purchasing has received a request to make the following sole source procurement.

Requesting Agency: **Department of Workforce Services**

Product and/or service to be purchased: **Versata Logic Server
Websphere Edition software and software maintenance fee.**

Proposed Sole Source Supplier: **Versata Inc.**

Sole Source Justification: **The Cubs project purchased four Versata server licenses through IBM when the project began. Since then, IBM has stopped selling Versata products so that now software purchase and maintenance is handled directly by Versata. We recently purchased two Cubs production servers and need to acquire two more server licenses for a total of six licenses in preparation for the full production and development systems. We plan to activate these additional licenses in October.**

Versata Inc. is now the only vendor of Versata software licenses, and we need two additional server licenses.

If for any reason any party does not agree with the proposed sole source procurement, please email **Jared Gardner** in the Utah Division of Purchasing at jaredgardner@utah.gov prior to the "Due Date for Comments" indicated above.